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IN RE APPLICATION OF

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EXAMINER: S. TURNER

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GROUP ART UNIT: 1644

FOR: RECOMBINANT PROTEIN CONTAINING  
A C-TERMINAL FRAGMENT OF PLASMODIUM  
MSP-1

#12C  
Graham

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AMENDMENT

Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Official Action of January 24, 2000, reconsideration is respectfully requested.

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Pate 1, at the top of the page, insert :

--TITLE OF THE INVENTION--;

after the title, insert - This application is a CIP of PCT/FR97/00290, filed February

C<sub>1</sub> 14, 1997, which claims priority from French Application No. 96/01822, filed February 14, 1996.

BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION

Field of the Invention--.

Page 1, after line 5, insert

--Description of the Background--.

Page 4, after line 11, insert